

Amendments to the Claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended): An interface for use with a portable rechargeable device comprising:

a first contact interface system for receiving a male connector, the first contact interface system comprising a[[n]] housing with a front surface, wherein the front surface includes an aperture leading to a well within the housing, and wherein a first positive contact is disposed within the well and a first negative contact is disposed within the well; and

a second contact interface system comprising conductive contacts disposed on the front surface outside the aperture, wherein the conductive contacts comprise a second positive contact and a second negative contact, wherein the aperture receives a charging member to detent the second positive contact and the second negative contact with corresponding contacts on a charger.

Claim 2 (cancelled)

Claim 3 (original): The interface of claim 1, wherein both the first contact interface system and the second contact interface system utilize the aperture in the front surface to mate with corresponding contacts on a charger.

Claim 4 (original): The interface of claim 1, wherein the second contact interface utilizes the aperture to receive a member from a charger to align and detent the conductive contacts on the portable device with corresponding contacts on the charger.

Claim 5 (currently amended): The interface of claim 4, wherein the aperture includes a semi-spherical surface that the member from the charger mates with to align and detent the conductive contacts on the portable device with the corresponding contacts on the charger.6.

Claim 6 (original): The interface of claim 1, wherein the first positive contact comprises a spring coil contact flexible during coupling and the first negative contact comprises a pin structure that inserts into the male connector

Claim 7 (original): The interface of claim 6, wherein the pin structure is disposed in the center of the well within the housing

Claim 8 (currently amended): The interface of claim 1, wherein the ~~positive-terminal~~ first contact interface system and the ~~negative-terminal~~ second contact interface system are electrically coupled to the terminals of a rechargeable battery at a the headset and transfer charging power to the rechargeable battery, allowing either the first charging interface system or the second charging interface system to be used ~~independently from the other~~ to transfer charging current.

Claim 9 (original): The interface of claim 1, wherein the aperture is substantially circular.

Claim 10 (currently amended): The interface of claim 1, further comprising a mounting means for mounting the contact device on a ~~[[the]]~~ headset.

Claim 11 (original): The interface of claim 1, wherein the first positive contact and second positive contact are a single piece construction, and wherein the first negative contact and second negative contact are a single piece construction.

Claims 12-17 (cancelled).

Claim 18 (new): A charging interface for use with a headset comprising:

a housing with a front surface, wherein the front surface includes a single aperture leading to a well within the housing, and wherein the single aperture provides access to a first charging interface disposed within the well; and

a second charging interface comprising conductive contacts disposed on the front surface outside the aperture, wherein the single aperture may receive a member to align and detent the conductive contacts with corresponding contacts on the charger.

Claim 19 (new): The charging interface of claim 18, wherein the single aperture includes a semi-spherical surface that the member mates with to align and detent the conductive contacts with corresponding contacts on the charger.

Claim 20 (new): The charging interface of claim 18, wherein the single aperture is substantially circular.

Claim 21 (new): The charging interface of claim 18, further comprising a mounting means for mounting the charging interface on a headset.